December 28, 2016

Mr. Steve Barnett Connell Foley, LLP 85 Livingston Avenue Roseland, NJ 07068

Re: Freedom of Information Request No. EPA-R2-2017-002301

Dated: December 22, 2016

Dear Mr. Barnett:

Your request for information has been referred to this branch for response. We have searched the Resource Conservation and Recovery Act (RCRA) files and/or computer database as appropriate to respond to your request.

We are enclosing a copy of the RCRA Facility File Index for BASF Corporation at 50 Central Avenue, Kearny, New Jersey. We are also enclosing a copy of the RCRA Compliance Monitoring, and Enforcement Data Report regarding inspection information for BASF in Kearny, New Jersey.

The approximate amount of RCRA information that we have for this facility is 4 inches. One inch is equivalent to 250 pages.

You may want to visit our office to review the RCRA files. We will arrange to make the files available to you that are located in our RCRA file room on the 15<sup>th</sup> floor. You can bring a portable scanner so that you can scan what documents you need. Kindly arrange your appointment with Mr. David Abrines of my staff at (212) 637-3043. The file offices are open between the hours of 9:00am - 4:00pm at the following address:

Room 1538, 15th Floor 290 Broadway New York, New York 10007-1866.

Be sure to bring a copy of this letter when coming to our EPA file office, and make reference to the EPA ID Number NJD046941530.

If you decide that you cannot visit us, another suggestion is that you can select the information that you need from the RCRA Facility File Index. You can place an asterisk next to the documents that interest you on the index pages, and then e-mail the information to <a href="mailto:abrines.david@epa.gov">abrines.david@epa.gov</a>. Afterward, Mr. Abrines will review the documents that you selected on the indexes, and contact you concerning the final cost.

If you decide that you would like us to scan the documents that you need, the cost for processing your request may exceed the \$25.00 fee limit. But, if you come to the office to scan your own documents with your portable scanner, there will be no processing costs.

Please include the above referenced request number on any inquiries regarding this response. We wait to hear from you as to how you want us to proceed with your request.

Sincerely yours,

Adolph S. Everett, P.E.

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